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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL <i>(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))</i>		Attorney Docket No.	026746.101-US01
		First Inventor	Craig A. Branch
		Title	RADIO FREQUENCY SHIELD FOR NUCLEAR MAGNETIC RESONANCE PROCEDURES
		Express Mail Label No.	

APPLICATION ELEMENTS <i>See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.</i>		MS Patent Application
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3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Specification [Total Pages 19] <i>(preferred arrangement set forth below)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Descriptive title of the invention - Cross Reference to Related Applications - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix - Background of the Invention - Brief Summary of the Invention - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed) - Detailed Description - Claim(s) - Abstract of the Disclosure 	a. <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Readable Form (CRF)
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Prior application information: Examiner Eleni M. Mantis Mercader Art Unit: 3737	
For CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.	

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Effective 10/01/2003, Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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Application Number	Divisional of 09/985,473
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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description	Fee Paid
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)
1001	770	2001	385
1002	340	2002	170
1003	530	2003	265
1004	770	2004	385
1005	160	2005	80
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$ 385.00)			

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

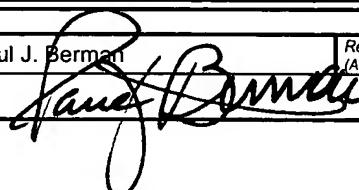
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28	-20** =	8	x 9.00	= 72.00
Independent Claims	-3** =			= 0.00
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Fee Description			
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)
1202	18	2202	9
1201	86	2201	43
1203	290	2203	145
1204	86	2204	43
1205	18	2205	9
Claims in excess of 20		** Reissue independent claims over original patent	
Independent claims in excess of 3		** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	
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1051	130	2051	65
1052	50	2052	25
1053	130	1053	130
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1804	920*	1804	920*
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*
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1252	420	2252	210
1253	950	2253	475
1254	1,480	2254	740
1255	2,010	2255	1,005
1401	330	2401	165
1402	330	2402	165
1403	290	2403	145
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1452	110	2452	55
1453	1,330	2453	665
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1502	480	2502	240
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1807	50	1807	50
1806	180	1806	180
8021	40	8021	40
1809	770	2809	385
1810	770	2810	385
1801	770	2801	385
1802	900	1802	900
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Dear Sir:

Enclosed are the following items for filing in connection with the above-referenced Patent Application:

1. Fee Transmittal;
2. Utility Patent Application Transmittal;
3. Application Data Sheet;
4. Utility application comprising: 15 pages of description; three pages of claims (28 claims); a one page abstract; and four sheets of drawings (Figs. 1, 1A-1C, 2 and 2A-2B);
5. Copy of the Declaration for Utility Patent Application (37 CFR 1.63) filed in prior Application No. 09/985,473;
6. Copy of the Power of Attorney filed in prior Application No. 09/985,473;
7. Copy of the Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b), with a copy of assignment, filed in prior Application No. 09/985,473;

8. Copy of the Verified Statement (Declaration) Claiming Small Entity Status (37 CFR 1.9(d) and 1.27(c))--Small Business Concern filed in prior Application No. 09/985,473;
9. Information Disclosure Statement;
10. Form PTO/SB/08a/b;
11. Check No. 327509 for \$457.00 to cover:
\$385.00 basic filing fee;
\$72.00 additional claims fee; and
12. Two return receipt postcards.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 50-0740, under Docket No. 026746.101-US01. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-0740.

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